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My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name. I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled "Electrode arrangement for a shock wave source" the specification of which (check one) is attached hereto. and was amended on was filed on _ as Application Serial No. _ (if applicable). I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by the amendment(s) referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a). I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, § 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed: PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S) DATE OF FILING PRIORITY CLAIMED APP. NUMBER COUNTRY (DATE, MONTH, YEAR) UNDER 35 U.S.C. 119 3 August 2000 Germany 10037790.4 YES I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35 United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1,56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application: PRIOR UNITED STATES APPLICATION(S) STATUS (PATENTED, PENDING, APPEICATION SERIAL NUMBER FILING DATE ABANDONED) I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and ballief are believed to be true, and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful Lalse statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon. POWER OF ATTORNEY: As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith. (list name and registration number) Jack E. Haken, Reg. No. 26,902 Michael E. Marion, Reg. No. 32,266 Edward M. Blocker, Reg. No. 30,245 SEND CORRESPONDENCE TO: Corporate Patent Counsel; **DIRECT TELEPHONE CALLS TO:** (name and telephone No.) U.S. Philips Corporation; 580 White Plains Road; Tarrytown, NY 10591 (914) 332-0222 Inventor's Signature: Dated: Full Name of Inventor Last Name First Name Middle Name **HAAKS** Wilfried City Country of Citizenship State or Foreign Country Residence & Hamburg Germany Germany Citizenship State or Country Zip Code Post Office Address Street City D-22455 Hamburg Germany Lausitzer Weg 15 Inventor's Signature: Dated: Middle Name First Name Full Name of Inventor Last Name **SCHWIEKER** Horst-Hartwig

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APPOINTMENT OF ASSOCIATES

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The undersigned Attorney of Record hereby revokes all prior appointments (if any) of Associate Attorney(s) or Agent(s) in the above-captioned case and appoints:

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c/o U.S. PHILIPS CORPORATION, Intellectual Property Department, 580 white Plains Road, Tarrytown, New York 10591, his Associate ttorney(s)/Agent(s) with all the usual powers to prosecute the above-dentified application and any division or continuation thereof, to make alterations and amendments therein, and to transact all business the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

ALL CORRESPONDENCE CONCERNING THIS APPLICATION AND THE CONCERNING THE CONCE

Respectfully,

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Attorney of Record

Dated at Tarrytown, New York on 1^{ST} of August, 2001.